



UNIVERSITY of  
TASMANIA

**College of Health  
and Medicine**

## Eligibility Requirements

**As at: 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2020**

This final version of Eligibility Requirements is relevant to any student studying with a Partner HECS fee waiver in the College of Health and Medicine.

- The University will provide fee waivers for employees or professional members of Partner organisations who enrol to study in an approved course as outlined in the promotion materials linked to your employer's agreement.
- These fee waivers will be available to employees or professional members of the Partner who commence study in or prior to the Semester 1 study period in 2021.
- Fee waivers will be available to employees or professional members of the Partner who meet the following eligibility requirements:
  1. Available to the Partner employees or members upon presentation of evidence of employment or membership. Evidence of employment or membership can be provided either on application, or after admission, to a course. If evidence is not received prior to Payment Due Date of the current study period, the scholarship will not apply until the following study period and the student will be responsible for any unit fees incurred. Fee waivers cannot be backdated under any circumstances. Refer to University Key Dates for the relevant semester of study.
  2. Available to the Partner employees or members for the duration of their employment or membership with the Partner.
  3. To receive a HECS fee waiver, students must be eligible for a Commonwealth Supported Place under the HECS- HELP system (for eligibility see: [www.studyassist.gov.au/help-loans/hecs-help](http://www.studyassist.gov.au/help-loans/hecs-help)). To receive the waiver, students cannot be receiving any other University of Tasmania scholarship or bursary.
  4. Students must be enrolled in a minimum of one unit for semester one and one unit for semester two (where the course structure permits) and must remain enrolled until after the University Census Date relevant to the semester of study. Students on an approved Leave of Absence (LOA) are exempt from this requirement for the duration of their approved LOA.
  5. To retain this fee waiver, students must engage in their enrolled units. Students who have not engaged and receive a result of AN (Absent deemed failed) for all enrolled units in a given study period, will not retain the fee waiver from the following study period onward. Such students cannot apply to have the fee waiver reinstated.
  6. Students must consent to the University disclosing their personal information and course information, including the course they are enrolled in and any results from the course to their

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employer/member organisation (per evidence provided at application). The University will not use or disclose the student's personal information for any additional purposes, except for those contained and agreed to within the University's Privacy Statements contained at [www.utas.edu.au/privacy](http://www.utas.edu.au/privacy)

- It is the responsibility of the student to ensure they apply and commence study within the normal university timeframes, and in line with associated course intakes.
- Students receive the fee waiver amount until completion of their program via graduation; withdrawal from their program via the course withdrawal process, or early exit from their program with no ongoing admission (which-ever comes first), assuming they maintain other rules set out in this Schedule.
- Students must meet course entry requirements as set out in the Course and Unit Handbook and are required to meet any course rule obligations, independent of fee waivers.